# IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

IN RE: GENERIC PHARMACEUTICALS PRICING ANTITRUST LITIGATION	MDL NO. 2724
THIS DOCUMENT RELATES TO: ALL ACTIONS	16-MD-2724 HON. CYNTHIA M. RUFE

### JOINT PROPOSED AGENDA FOR MARCH 10, 2022 LEADERSHIP STATUS CONFERENCE

Pursuant to Pretrial Order No. 193 (MDL Doc. No. 1957), Liaison Counsel hereby submit this joint proposed agenda of items to be brought before the Court via videoconference at the Leadership Status Conference scheduled for Thursday, March 10, 2022 at 1:30 pm:

- 1. Status of parties' discussions regarding the non-Bellwether schedule
- 2. Plaintiffs' Agenda Item: Procedural permissibility of "Newly Added Defendants" motions to dismiss under existing Court Orders.
  - a. Defendants' position is that this item is inherently substantive and not appropriate for a Leadership Status Conference. It is also premature. Plaintiffs can alert the Court to any purported permissibility issues in any papers that Plaintiffs submit in opposition to the motions to dismiss, and the Court can decide whether to hear argument once all interested parties have had the opportunity to weigh in.

The Court shall provide videoconference information and related instructions to Liaison Counsel and the Special Masters via email.

Dated: March 3, 2022 Respectfully submitted:

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